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TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD FOR DETECTING THE BEGINNING OF COMBUSTION AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- 1. X This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 3. X This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- 4. The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).
- 5. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - x has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- 6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
 - x is attached hereto, along with a Translator's Declaration.
 - has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- 7. Amendments to the claims of the International Aplication under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - X have not been made and will not be made.
- 8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).
- 9. X An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- 10. An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

- An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98; Form PTO-1449, 11 references, I Engl. abstracts, copy of Int. S.R., copy and Engl. Transl. of German S.R. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 11. X 12. X
- 13. X A FIRST preliminary amendment.
- 14. X A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
- 15. A substitute specification.
- 16. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
- 17. X Other items or information:
- a return receipt postcard;
- b) Form PTO-2038;
- 2 Figs. on 2 sheets of Formal Drawings.
- NOTE: The priority of German Patent Application 10 2004 005 325.1, filed in the Federal Republic of Germany on February 4, 2004 is claimed for the present Application under 35 USC §119.
- NOTE: The entire disclosure of PCT International Application PCT/DE2005/000070 is incorporated herein by reference.
- NOTE: This Application has been assigned to: Conti Temic microelectronic GmbH of: Sieboldstr. 19, D-90411 Nuernberg, Federal Republic of Germany.
- NOTE: Please print the Assignee data with the Published Application.

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